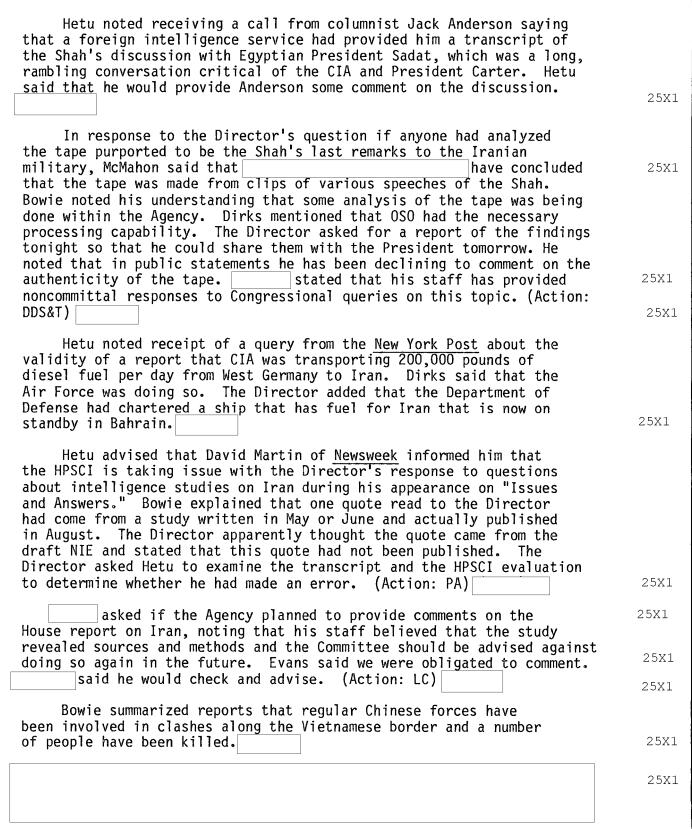
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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

The Director chaired the meeting; Mr. Carlucci was out of the city.	25
Mr. McMahon noted receipt of a call from HPSCI staffer Latimer that congressman Aspin is anxious to start hearings on sensitive collection perations, including the approval process and the various categories of perations. The Director said that this sounded manageable.	2.
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(Hitz joined the meeting at this point.)

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Bowie noted that Under Secretary of Defense Perry and Dr. Timbie of ACDA briefed several Senators on verification aspects of SALT II. The Senators were pleased with the briefing and suggested that these same individuals should brief other Senators on all kinds of telemetry encryption. Noting that Perry was extremely effective during the briefing, Hitz added that he had forwarded a memorandum on the session.  mentioned that a counsel for an environmental legislative committee said that she found CIA the most responsive Executive agency and the Agency's analytical work excellent.
Wortman reported that the supergrade promotion ceremony scheduled for this afternoon will be rescheduled at a later date.

In response to the Director's question if Agency personnel were in danger, McMahon said that Khomeini has declared that all Americans should be out of the country by 27 February. McMahon suggested that the dialogue between Khomeini and Prime Minister Bakhtiar would have to be monitored closely during the next week. He said that a cable from the Ambassador last night revealed the first thread of hope for a compromise government. The Director expressed concern about the amount of time required to evacuate people once a decision has been made to do so. He advised that the Administration planned to back the Bakhtiar government. The Iranian military is to establish control of selected sectors, including government buildings, radio and television stations and the oil fields. The military would then hopefully defend these areas if

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Alluding to an item in today	y's State Summary, the Director said	
that he would be interested in a forces in Ethiopia. He asked Mc1	ny indications of a Cuban drawdown of Mahon to determine	
what might be behind any drawdown	n that does take place. (Action: DDO)	

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